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MAYSVILLE, KY., SATURDAY, APRIL 11, 1896.

ONE CENT.



If you have friends visiting you, or if you are going away on a visit, please drop us a line to that effect.

Miss Jessie Horrocks of Ashland is visiting Mrs. Rose Carr of the Sixth Ward.

Miss Nettie True and Bertie Hawk of Oak-wood are visiting Miss Nannie Payne.

The Misses Waller, who had been visiting in the country, have returned to their school at Oxford, O.

Mrs. Frank Conington and daughter, Mary Lou, of Carlisle, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Darnall, returned home yesterday afternoon.

Very Personal—Postage on drop letters, whether sealed or not, is 1 cent. Many persons send their notices through the Postoffice with only one cent stamp. These are "bald for postage." Hereafter they must contain a 3 cent stamp.

Dr. S. M. Cartmell is still confined to his home.

Children's Tan Shoes.

J. HENRY PECOR.

Try a Cottage Ham, for sale only by Crawford & Cady.

The General Assembly of the Southern Presbyterian Church will convene at Memphis in May.

Mrs. L. V. Davis is showing the prettiest and cheapest Millinery in the city. Zweigart's Block.

David H. Boyd, one of Lewis county's oldest citizens, died a few days since at his home near McKenzie.

Hechinger & Co. are showing a great line of Manhattan Shirts in all styles and colors. Ask to see them.

Mrs. R. P. Gault of the county has about recovered from the effects of the serious fall she had some weeks since.

There's no change for the better to report in the condition of Colonel J. W. Gault of Murphysville, we are sorry to say.

There was a small audience at the Opera house last night, but the entertainment was one of the best and cleanest that ever appeared in Maysville.

There were two additions to the First Baptist Church last night. Rev. Porter preached a powerful sermon, and will preach again tonight. All invited.

Mr. Ed. Kelley, the Arm and Hammer cobbler representative, intends to make Maysville his home. He says it's a much bigger place of its size than New York.

We are showing the handsomest line of Diamonds ever shown in this city, both mounted and loose, and are offering them at prices that defy competition. Remember, we never misrepresent goods or make misstatements through newspapers.

P. J. MURPHY the Jeweler.

Mrs. Ellen Bell, wife of Mr. William Bell, died at the family home in the Sixth Ward at twenty minutes past 2 o'clock Saturday morning. She had been a long but patient sufferer from cancer of the stomach. Her age was 65. The funeral will be conducted by Young's Temple at Scott Chapel Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Theo. Campbell mourns a brand-new suit because he had it once and now he has it not. In a moment of ecstatic joy over his possession he imprudently said in the presence of a Chap whose name will not here be exposed: "I've got a daisy lot of new togs!" And straightway the aforesaid Chap presented himself at the home of Mr. Campbell and told his wife that Theo. had sent him for his new suit. She knew Chapple and watched him carry away her husband's Sunday good-meetings—and she never knew any better until Theo. came home.

N. B.—Since the "Chap" hadn't skill enough to avoid arrest, his name is Tim Maher. Officers Parrnell and Stockdale overhauled him near Georgetown, O., and lodged him in Jail here Friday evening.

RESULTED FATALLY.

Isaac Peggs Dies From His Recent Injuries.

NEVER GAINED CONSCIOUSNESS.

Special to Public Ledger.

WICHAMSTER, Ky., April 10th.

Isaac Peggs, the Mason county man who was struck Tuesday night by a train on the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad at Fox Station, near this city, died last night at the residence of his brother, George Peggs.

He had never regained consciousness.



MAYSVILLE WEATHER.

What We May Expect For the Next Twenty-four Hours.

THE LEDGER'S WEATHER SIGNALS.

White streamer—Fair; Blue—Rain or Snow; With Black above—It will warm; If Black's beneath—Colden't will be; Unless Black's shows—no change we'll see.

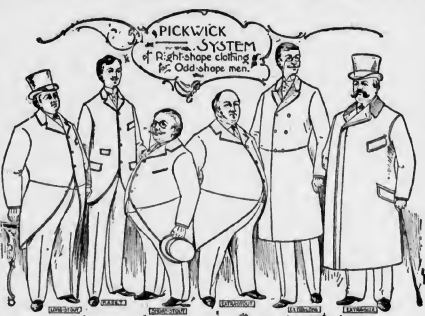
The above forecasts are made for a period of thirty-six hours, ending at 3 o'clock to-morrow evening.

Latest shade in children's Tan Shoes, J. HENRY PECOR.

Rev. J. S. Sims of the Methodist Church, South, of this city, will preach at the Washington Methodist Church at half past 3 tomorrow.

The remains of Rev. W. S. Smith, who died of typhoid fever at Dover Wednesday, were brought to this city and Friday morning were taken to Frankfort for interment.

WE FIT THE HARD-TO-FIT!



We also Make the PRICES FIT the HARD TIMES, not only in CLOTHING but in FURNISHING GOODS as well;—in fact, in everything pertaining to a strictly FIRST-CLASS CLOTHING HOUSE.

Remember

We will sell you our fine Tailor-made Garments for about the same prices that you pay elsewhere for cheap trash or auction stuff. That we never keep. Every article bought of us guaranteed as represented. It will pay you to see our line.

Lee & Ballenger.

The grass is coming along finely in the county after the recent warm rain.

Mr. A. Duke Taylor, formerly of this county, is now married and living in Texas.

Don't fail to take a peep at the Up-to-date Neckwear displayed in the West window of Hechinger & Co.'s.

Mrs. Belle Greathouse Lawrence, a former well known lady of this county, is now living in Eureka, Arkansas.

Seed Sweet Potatoes and Onion Sets. GEORGE H. HEISER, Nos. 117 and 119 West Second street.

Lieutenant Governor William J. Worthington will deliver the Memorial address at Manchester on Decoration Day.

Dandruff is due to an unclean state of the skin. Hall's Hair-Renewer quickens the nutritive functions of the skin, healing and preventing the formation of dandruff.

Mr. William B. Huston of Lexington is reported as being much better, and hopes are now entertained of his ultimate recovery.

Mrs. William Rankins, well known in this county, had the misfortune to fall on the pavement in New York recently and was so severely injured that she was confined to her hotel for several weeks. She had about recovered, however, at last accounts.

The many friends of Mrs. Mary F. Alexander of Hopkinsville, formerly Miss Mary Lewis of this county, will be glad to learn that this estimable lady, who has been under surgical treatment at Nashville for several months, has returned to her home greatly improved.

Rev. F. S. Pollitt of Frankfort was in the city and county a few days since.

John Norris, who was shot near Manchester a few weeks ago, is rapidly improving.

Mr. George Steele, formerly of this county, is now married and living at Hopkinsville.

Messrs. Martin M. McKnight, James P. Marshall, Charles I. Hunter and George Taylor were elected Elders of the Presbyterian Church at Washington on Sunday last, and H. W. Wood, Dr. Alex. Hunter and Jacob Roser were elected Deacons. They will be installed to-morrow.

STRANGE FATALITY.

Twelve Deaths in the Family of Mr. Thomas Chandler.

Miss Nora Chandler, aged nearly 25, died of consumption at 5 o'clock Friday morning at the home of her father, Mr. Thomas Chandler, near Morantburg.

She is the twelfth child that has died of the same disease, but she had lived to a greater age than any of the others.

Five died in infancy, and seven died when they were between the ages of 18 and 29.

There are two boys living—one aged about 31 and one aged 15.

The funeral took place at 9 o'clock Sunday morning, with services by the Rev. W. W. Hall.

Washington Camp P. O. S. A. of this city is on a boom.

Friendship Lodge No. 43, D. of R., had a most interesting meeting last night.

Dr. William Bowman of Tollesboro will arrive at Highport on Memorial Day.

Mr. Charles E. Broese is no longer connected with the Maysville Water Company.

You want the best garden seed; then get Landreth's at Chenoweth's Drug Store.

Pat Miner has been appointed guardian of Marietta Miner, with W. H. Wade-worth surety.

The Maysville Produce Co. wants 2,000 dozen Eggs daily and all the Poultry they can get for the Eastern market.

Mr. D. W. January has gone to Louisville to take a run as messenger for the Adams Express Company between that city and Nashville.

Bishop Burton, who was expected to visit the Church of the Nativity in this city next week, has been compelled on account of sickness to cancel his appointment.

Elizabeth, the bright little daughter of Dr. H. K. Admon, who with her mother has been spending the winter at Thomasville, Ga., had the misfortune a few days ago to break her arm by falling off a donkey.

The Frank Owens Hardware Company is just now displaying a handsome and complete line of hardware, while the stock of implements for the farmer and the gardener was never so complete as now. See advertisement in this impression of THE LEDGER.

All men are cordially invited and urged to be present at the Y. M. C. A. Room tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock. This will be the best and most interesting service the Association has held. An orchestra of seven pieces, together with a good male chorus, will furnish the music. The Gales Hymnbooks will be used.

Clyde Dugan, aged 11, living near the C. and O. Depot, opposite Manchester, met with a serious accident a few days ago. He was playing about the Depot, and as the local freight passed attempted to jump on. He slipped and his foot was caught under the wheel of the train, mashing it in such shape that amputation became necessary.

Fire wiped out one of the last reminders of the World's Fair in the destruction of the Louisville Hotel, a big frame building at Seventh and First streets and Candler avenue, directly East of Parkville, Chicago. The hotel was and had for some time been unoccupied.

A tramp in Maryland, who was walking on a railroad track the other day, discovered a broken rail. He signalled an approaching train which stopped within a few feet of the rail. The company gave him \$35 in cash and made him an employee of the road.

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We are offering inducements to Farmers for all kinds of Farming Tools—Hoes, Forks, Rakes, Hooks, Grain Cradles, Scythes, Snaiths and Saws.

You need a Pump for your cistern? If so, we will sell you any kind you want at a very low price.

You know we are headquarters for Table Cutlery and first-class Bladed Knives, Forks and Spoons, quality guaranteed.

Can buy House Brushes, Whitewash Brushes, Blacking Brushes and Curry Combs, &c., cheap.

Equality of Builders' Hardware, Carpenter Tools, Blacksmith Supplies and everything that composes a first-class Hardware Store.

Mail and Box orders will have our prompt attention.

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100 E. THIRD ST. MAYSVILLE, KY.

Judge Hutchins will make a speech at the Augusta Convention today.

Purity Lodge, D. of R., at Manchester, added three new members Thursday evening.

Take your Poultry and Eggs to the Maysville Produce Co. (on Wall street, Brighton's old stand), and get the high market price in cash for them.

For Sale. A modern four-room house on Cottage street, Sixth Ward. New and complete. JOHN DULEY.

Lee & Ballenger respectfully invite patronage from LEDGER readers. The members of this firm are not strangers to clothing buyers of this community, and their guarantee goes with every article sold by them. It will pay you to see their goods and learn prices.

The American tin plate factory at Elwood, Ind., will be enlarged to meet the rapidly increasing demand for its product. From a four-million plant in 1892, employing 300 men, it has grown, until now it is a sixteen-million plant, twenty-one stacks, employing 1,200 men, with an output of 15,000 tin plates per week and a monthly payroll of \$55,000.

The Bicycle Park is now open to the public under the management of J. T. Kackley & Co., "Crescent Agents," and is full of pleasure and recreation can be derived for a very small outlay. Season tickets entitle the purchaser to the use of track for riding any day except the dates on which it is used for baseball. On such dates the baseball management has full control of ground.

Rates. Season tickets to ride, \$1.00 For use of wheels exclusively on track, per hour, 35 For those purchasing wheels of J. T. Kackley & Co., on charge for seasons or use of track during the season will be made. Tickets on sale at J. T. Kackley & Co.'s Bookstore.

If this country could have "free and unlimited" outlets, there wouldn't be enough politicians left to hold a ward caucus.

While preaching at Curtis Bay (Md.) Baptist Church, Pastor Wm. T. Bailey's tongue was paralyzed and he lost all power of speech.

Neatfoot oil has been used as a substitute for cod liver oil. It is prepared by boiling the feet of oxen, previously deprived of their hoofs.

New England's maple sugar crop is reported to be about this year, but the spruce gum crop is said to be all right, in both quantity and quality.

Nine thousand maple trees will be cut up this summer on the Upper Kennebec river, Maine, to furnish material for filling an order for 1,300,000 blocks for shoe lasts.

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Did you get an invitation to the wedding?

You will send a present, of course, whether you go or not, and we can settle the perplexing question of what to give and save you the time and worry of looking around because of the great variety of articles suitable for such occasions we always carry in stock.

Call and be satisfied of truth of our statement and see the numerous beautiful things you can afford to give.

J. BALLENGER, Maysville, Ky.

A son-in-law of General Humphrey Marshall, who was at one time a prominent lawyer at Louisville, was buried at his old home, McAfee, Mercer county, a few days since. His name was McAfee, and his last wishes were to be laid to rest in his native place, whence he had gone as a youth full of promise, but he was entrapped by that awful pitfall that so often ensnares genius, ability, talent and ambition.

Liverpool policemen have been ordered to learn shorthand.

The eyes of fish and birds are round, with no angles at the corners.

A cynical old bachelor says the only thing about which a woman will not exaggerate is her age.

Miss May Philbrook, New Jersey's only woman lawyer, appeared in a divorce suit before Vice Chancellor Emery in Jersey City on Monday. She represented the man in the case who is sued for divorce by his wife.

If you are an old man, take our advice and don't be sidetracked. Keep up your activities; don't retire; don't quit. Keep right on—wear out, not rust out. Five years from now you will have lived to thank us for this advice.

A buffalo breeding park has been established experimentally at Adrian, Mich., by a big wire fence, making acres.

Five buffaloes were bought from the commissioners of Lincoln park, Chicago, a few days ago to stock the park.

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SOME DAY OR OTHER.

Time enough yet for the current to turn—
"Hops while there's life," as philosophers say.
People now pass money to have to pay.
Provided they don't quit the job in de-
spair.
Flood right ahead and you'll bring 'em
your way—
Some day or other.

Facts grow on bushes for some, so it seems,
Others obliged, if they want 'em, to climb
Early and late—but what if you're late?
No use to worry and fret yourself blue.
Flood right along and you'll bring 'em to
time—
Some day or other.

Laze-making is easy for some, it appears,
But what if it isn't for you?
Going to all back like a bump on a head?
No, you'll propose, and if you should get
floored.
Break your place over and she'll help you
through—
Some day or other.

Knew a man once who for twenty straight
years
Courtied a girl, but he hadn't the sand
To ask her to marry till finally she
Up and she asks what his meaning might be.
Which shows that a woman, by watching
her hand,
Can fetch the most bashful admirer to
land—
Some day or other.

Nothing you want you can't get if you fail—
More, or learning, or even the fair,
Tackle the task with grim death in your
eye.
Fucks right to it and never say die:
Bound to win out if you really care—
Some day or other.
—Frank Putman, in Chicago Times-Herald.

IN A SPIDER'S PARLOR.

BY MAY LILIAN DODDS.

"TOOTH!" I had heard for a week, and I had
been told that a new kind of sleep in a
dormitory, I am not more
eager to go to a room than
other men when it
comes to mount-
ing a de-
fense, but I go to
know how it is.
As sure as I would get
to the sticking point, my
tooth would give a lustre as if it
contemplated saving a dentist's bill al-
together; then quiet down, and I would
change my mind about having it ex-
tracted.

The morning of October 13, after a
night spent walking the floor with an
unpleasantly tingling tongue, I
set out early intending to stroll about
until an hour when I could find Tom
Bradley in his office and secure the ad-
vice of his dentist, for at that date I
was a stranger in Washington.

I do not know how long, or where
I wandered, but it is true that I found
myself in a part of the city that I had
never before better days. The houses
were old-fashioned brick, red-brick,
dying and faded, but a few retained an
air of pretentiousness. The old Indian
shivered at my curious stare, as if to
deprecate the plebeian snarl of onlookers;
the clatter of dishes proclaimed the
stage of boarding houses had been
reached. The corner house, alone,
looked like a home.

At this point my observations met a
check, for the chill autumn air had
given a sharp fillip to my nerves and the
pain broke forth with renewed energy.
"Heaven!" I cried, "if I could only
on a dentist's sign I'd put an end to this
tooth if it took my head with it!"

I pondered, I pondered, and I like
to acknowledge it, for I have always
maintained that no man will render
himself absurd by talking aloud in pub-
lic unless he is accustomed to do so in
the country, isolated from his fellow-
men, or one whose mental equities are
insecure. Therefore, when a voice at
my elbow said, "You are in a dentist's
den, I am at your service, sir," I
started, gaily, and with as much
haughtiness as a man with no other
claim to his jaw could assume. I asked:
"What do you mean, sir?"

"Ah! I suffered from your expression
that you were in a dentist's den, and
of suffering humanity, I offer my ser-
vices."
I stared at him, uncertain whether
to smile or to take affront. He was
middle-aged and powerfully built, pre-
sencing in manner, save for an alert-
ness and nervousness that impressed
me (without time for analysis) as
strangely at variance with his posi-
sion, intellectual features.

"You are suffering, so I will cut short
my morning visit."
"You are very kind," I replied, follow-
ing him up the stooped marble steps.
A yellowed, elderly woman came
out, leaning on a cane, and with her
eyes on my face, she said: "A vagrant dog
shivered on the curb; it was early."

Dr. Huron led the way to a pleasant
room at the end of the hall, and leaving
me, passed into an adjoining room. I
waited about striving to retain my com-
posure. The clock on the wall struck half
eight; what in the name of an agoniz-
ing nerve was the man doing! I
glanced at the window, but it gave only
a view of the blank wall of another
house; moreover it was barred closely
and heavily. "Children!" I counted
mentally.

No sound came from the next room
except the dripping of water; I examined
the book-strewn table; magazines,
newspapers, medical works, a volume of
Lavater with many slips of paper in-
serted, and a work on hypnotism laid
open, faced down.

While I was turning the pages of a
magazine I heard close at hand the
muffled clatter of cutlery; then a step
on the stairs, and a door opened, and
a man came in, and at last, a voice say-
ing: "Step in here, please."

When I drew aside the portiere, I
saw a physician of middle age, with
starched his smoking attire for a suit
of spotless linen, whose short jacket,
with sleeves barely reaching the elbows,
displayed his splendid proportions; his
hair shined white and muscular about
his bronzed hands; a baker's cap of
brown surrounded his thick, shivered
hair.

"You make elaborate preparations,"
I said. He did not reply, but an in-
explicable smile flickered over his lips,
a smile that nettled me.

I mounted the chair and he adjusted it.
I wondered at the excitement that
assailed him, as he prodded, a flash
settled his cheeks; his shifty grey-
sprinkled and lost their bluish light. He
worked with a deftness and dispatch
that won my confidence, but the sen-
sitive nerves rebelled.

"There is no hope of saving the tooth,
sir. It must be extracted."
I smothered a groan. "Will you give
me chloroform, doctor?"

"I turned from me while he ran
to the small cabinet of questions. I
gave impatiently:
"Yes! yes! I know all that. I'll be
all right. I have no heart trouble, but
I have heart failure, and I am a little
tired. I can't, can't you?"

"Calm yourself, my dear sir, you shall
have relief, and that immediately." The
doctor smiled. "Lose your coat and
trifle and settle yourself comfortably."

I dropped my head and closed my
eyes. He began himself adjusting the
chair. Suddenly I started. He
strapped one of my arms to the chair
and was tightening the other.

"What number do you mean?" I
cried, trying to rise. He pushed me
back, gently but firmly, and looking
straight into my eyes, said:
"You are going to risk a manning
when you are regaining consciousness.
Your lists are too strong."

He stepped into the reception-room;
I heard a single door shut, and he
turned in the lock. I rolled my gaze
searchingly about the room. It was
dark, and was lighted solely by a large
candle in a chandelier of gilded
brass; the floor was tiled in imma-
nate white; in one corner a wood box
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sumed away.
"My opportune rescue was due to the
fortunate cariosity of a policeman on
the corner. He was aware of Dr.
Huron's condition; surprised to see him
murdered, he kept watch, and when he
saw a passer-by and lead him within
he awaited my reappearance. Becom-
ing suspicious, he gave the alarm."

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hospital, and I was told that he was
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DOMESTIC EDUCATION.

It Should Fit the Girls as Thorough House-
wifery as Life.

It has become the fashion in recent
years to condemn young women gen-
erally because of their lack of house-
wifery. The old-fashioned idea that
people are apt to refer to the old-
fashioned girls, who are alleged
to have possessed the domestic
virtues. Without discussing
the superiority of the girls of the
generation past in household ac-
complishments, it is certainly the fact
that a great many girls of the present
era are totally ignorant of the sim-
plest details of household manage-
ment. This is not so much the fault
of our girls as of their mothers. It
has even become the fashion to ridi-
cule the attempt at household in-
struction for girls, on the ground that it
is merely preparing them for wives, and
is likely to develop them into household
masters. It is also suggested that, if
it is necessary for young women to
have instruction in these household
duties, it is equally necessary for men
to be instructed in the same. This is
a very reasonable suggestion, and it is
certainly true that men should be
taught to do as much of the house-
work as women. But the question is
not whether men should be taught to
do housework, but whether women
should be taught to do it. The answer
is, of course, yes. Women should be
taught to do housework, just as men
should be taught to do it. The only
question is, when and where should
this instruction be given? The answer
is, in the home, and by the mother.

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THE INDIAN AS A SOLDIER.

Red Men Do Not Take kindly to Our
Army Life.

The scheme inaugurated by the War
Department in March, 1901, to enlist
Indian soldiers in the United States
Army has been conclusively demon-
strated a failure. All possible means
were adopted to make the experiment a success; en-
listment officers were placed in charge of the Indian com-
panies; tribal rights of the redmen were
observed; cooks, tailors and artificers
were taken, when practicable, from
those Indians who had undergone in-
struction at Carlisle or similar schools.
Discipline was nearly as stringent as
with other troops; but all to no avail.

It was proposed to enlist 10 com-
panies of infantry and eight troops of
cavalry, attaching them to white reg-
iments only; but not near that number
have ever enlisted. In 1901 there were
117 enlisted Indians; 1892, 76; in 1903,
71. In 1904, 57, while at present there
remain but one troop.

The reasons for this failure are multi-
fold. Illiteracy and an almost total ig-
norance of the English language were
main factors; instructions and com-
mands were given almost entirely
through interpreters or by signs. The
soldiers were not allowed to wear their
own clothing, but were compelled to
wear the uniform of the United States
Army. The Indians, their restlessness and
the proximity of reservations where they
saw their brethren living in freedom and
ease were likewise elements of broad
discontent.

An Indian generally marries when
young, and this is almost imprudent
when he enters the army. The first
married men were recognized in each
company, so that many men could not
live with their families. Even the
married men in a company enlisted num-
bers "camp followers." The Indians
were not as rule good soldiers; the bet-
ter the soldiers, the more the Indians
were careless and uncontrollable when in-
tended—a very frequent condition after
the monthly pay day. The attention of
the army was largely directed toward
the Indians, and the Indians were
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To Be Commanded by Gen. Kitchener, of the British Army.

[Written for This Paper.]

A black and white portrait of a man with a mustache, wearing a military uniform with a high collar and several medals on his chest. The style is reminiscent of a woodcut or engraving.

religious societies of Cairo, Tunis, Tripoli and Algiers. As soon as his claims were admitted among the fanatical Mussulmans of Dongola he declared a holy war against the Egyptian invaders and their British allies, which he carried out with the most daring energy. When the fortified city of Khertoum, in Nubia, fell into the hands of the Mahdists through the treachery of Farah Pasha, Gen. Gordon and all his garrison were cruelly murdered. Shortly afterward the city was evacuated, although the Mahdi died, of smallpox, in June of the same year. On his deathbed he entrusted his sword to Abdullah, his nephew, who became his successor and the leader of the faithful, and who has since car-

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The Khallifa and Osmia Digma have waited for years for a chance to conquer the foreign invaders; and when the Abyssinians under King Menelek had defeated the Italians at Adowa a strong force of dervishes was sent toward Kassala to exterminate the Italian garrison stationed at that fortress. Success would mean to them not only plunder, but restoration of the prestige which they have been losing ever since 1891 and assure their continuance in power. The capture of Kassala would

On High Olympus.
Jove—My! What a lot of war scares
they are having on earth. Is Mars, the
god of war, down there?
Entelliste—No, your highness, only
olus, the wind king.—Truth.
The Literary Movement.
"They say very few authors sleep
more than seven hours a day."
"But think how much slumber they
rob other people!"—Chicago Rec-
ord.

The National Capital Is But Indifferently Guarded

[Special Washington Letter.]

At the foot of Capitol hill, on the west side of the grounds, are the botanical gardens, and beyond them for fully a mile, a beautiful, well-kept, and well-kept cultural and monument ground—forming a continuous park, containing numerous old trees with widespreading branches, and a few new ones, planted away along the entire distance and there are numerous pretty walks within the parks. But no part of this beauty spot is open to the public. The grounds are inadequate. It may be said that, as a general rule, the members of our metropolitan police forces are diligent; and that the police of this city are no exception. In Capitol hill is an exception.

You must not infer that the negro and negroes are types of their race in the city. The negro population of this city is a couple, who began their fight over a bottle of gin, represents a majority of their race in this city, and a large number of the negro population of the city.

NO PLACE LIKE THE OLD HOME.

"As the old fellow felt the tip toe of his boot, he fell on his knees, raised his hands, and shouted: 'Glory Hallelujah. I see wid my friends again.' And he never wanted to go away from the old place again as long as he lived."

SMITH D. FAY,

—Vodka, a sort of whisky made in Russia, exceeds in alcoholic strength that of any other whisky.

A KITCHEN DRESSER.

A black and white line drawing of a closed wooden door. The door is composed of vertical staves or planks. It has a simple rectangular frame around it. At the bottom center of the door, there is a small, dark, rectangular opening or hole. The drawing is minimalist, using only outlines and some shading to suggest depth.

DARNING STOCKINGS.
In a Great Many Cases the Game's

There is a sort of sentiment prevnl

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Origin of the High Handshake.
High handshaking had its origin in London in the necessity at drawing rooms and other court functions ladies carrying their heavy trains over one arm. Try carrying a weight of masonry over one arm and see how natural it is to use the right arm as high as possible to shake.

with Boys and Girls.
Parents and others constantly make

Promises are often required of little children, while they either know not or understand what "sacred" suggests, and they are. Unless the parent respects his promises, how are the children to estimate the value or worth of them? Is it right that children should be compelled to give promises with never a thought of the burden of responsibility, or with but a faint idea of what loyalty or disloyalty to the obligation may imply? Be honest with the children. Tell them you cannot promise them anything that both are fulfilled, it will teach the children to respect their own words when given, and act as moral barriers on many a future. *Prairie Farmer.*

Salvage Hints About the Best Method of

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Children Should Have Single Note

She is a wise mother who allots to each of her children a single bed. From the time the baby occupies the crib alone on through childhood he should have a bed to himself. Such pretty little affairs of white iron and brass come for the nursery that it is hard to resist them, even apart from hygienic considerations.

